IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Application Number

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Applicant

: Mimi ADACHI, et al.

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REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING

Sirs:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §41.47(a), Appellant respectfully requests an oral hearing in the appeal of the above-identified application. This Request for Oral Hearing is timely filed within two months from the Examiner's Answer mailed on March 3, 2010.

The USPTO is hereby authorized to charge the fee of \$1,080.00, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 41.20(b)(3), to the undersigned's **Deposit Account No. 50-0206**.

CONCLUSION

Appellant believes no additional fees are due. However, the USPTO is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required, or credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account**No. 50-0206.

Respectfully submitted,

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